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Petition To Change Order of Inventors' Names-Joint Inventors of Dong-Won LEE and Byoung-Kee KIM for METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING NANOPHASE TIC-BASED COMPOSITE POWDERS BY METALLOTHERMIC REDUCTION, U.S. Serial No. 10/600,159, filed June 20, 2003, including a new Declaration and Power of Attorney (Exhibit A) and a Facsimile Certificate Of Transmission dated January 24, 2006.

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PETITION TO CHANGE ORDER OF INVENTORS' NAMES-JOINT INVENTORS

Applicants hereby petition to change the order of the names of the inventors of the above-identified application in the records of the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") to:

Dong-Won LEE and Byoung-Kee KIM

Applicants attach, as Exhibit A, a new Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by each of the inventors indicating the correct order of the names.

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Applicants request that this changed order of inventors' names also appear on the printed patent for this application. The issue fee for this application is due <u>February 8, 2006</u>.

Pursuant to M.P.E.P. \$605.04(f), a petition to change the order of inventors' name is timely filed if filed before the payment of the issue fee. Since the issue fee for this application, which is due February 8, 2006, has not yet been paid, this Petition is being timely filed.

If a telephone conference would be of assistance in granting this Petition, applicants' undersigned attorney invites the USPTO to telephone him at the number provided below.

A FOUR HUNDRED DOLLAR (\$400.00) fee for filing this Petition is required under 37 C.F.R. \$1.17(f). Authorization is hereby given to charge the FOUR HUNDRED DOLLAR (\$400.00) fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125. If any additional fees are required, authorization is hereby given to charge any such additional fees to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

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